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COMMONWEALTH EDISON COMPANY)	CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE
)	Docket No. 00-0259
Petition for expedited approval of implementation)	•
of a market based alternative tariff, to become)	
effective on or before May 1, 2000, pursuant to)	
Article IX and Section 16-112(c) of the Public)	
Utilities Act)	

PETITION FOR LEAVE TO INTERVENE

The People of the State of Illinois, by James E. Ryan, Attorney General of the State of Illinois, ("the People") pursuant to the Rules of Practice of the Illinois Commerce Commission, 83 Ill. Adm. Code, Section 200,200, Petition for Leave to Intervene and be made a party in the above captioned proceeding. In support of this Petition, the People of the State of Illinois state the following:

- 1. The Attorney General represents consumers of electric services within the State of Illinois before this Commission.
- The Attorney General, pursuant to Section 205/6.5(d) of the Attorney General 2. Act, 15 ILCS 205/6.5(d), "shall be a party as a matter of right to all proceedings, investigations, and related matters involving the provision of electric services before the Illinois Commerce Commission...."
- 3. The requirements governing the form and content of contract summaries for the 2000 Neutral Fact-Finder Process under Section 16-112(c) of the Public Utilities Act is a proceeding involving the provision of electric services.
- The People of the State of Illinois, as consumers of electric services, will be 4. effected by any order by the Commission in this proceeding.

WHEREFORE, for the above stated reasons, the People pray that Leave to Intervene be granted by the Commission, and that they be made a party to the proceedings in Docket No. 00-0259

Respectfully submitted,

People of the Stafe of Illinois

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Dated: April 5, 2000

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VERIFICATION

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COUNTY OF COOK)	

R. Lawrence Warren being first duly sworn upon oath, deposes and states that he is a Senior Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General State of Illinois; and that he has read the foregoing **Petition For Leave To Intervene**, **ICC Docket No. 00-0259**, and knows the contents thereof; and that to the best of his knowledge, information and belief, based upon reasonable inquiry, the said contents are true and correct.

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PATRICIA M. MACHALA
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF ILLINOIS
My Commission Expires April 5, 2001

R. Lawrence Warren

Senior Assistant Attorney General

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SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me this 5th day of April 2000

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NOTICE OF FILING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on this date, April, 5, 2000, we have filed with the Chief Clerk of the Illinois Commerce Commission the enclosed Petition For Leave To Intervene in the above-captioned docket by delivering it to United Parcel Service for next day delivery to Donna Caton, Chief Clerk of the Illinois Commerce Commission, at 527 East Capitol Avenue, Springfield, Illinois 62794.

R. Layrence Warren,

Senior Assistant Attorney General

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, R. Lawrence Warren, a Senior Assistant Attorney General, hereby certify that I served the above identified documents upon all active parties of record on the attached service list by United States Mail, first class postage prepaid on April 5, 2000

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